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### **Paper A – Amendment**

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 and in response to the Office Action mailed September 16, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are submitted for your consideration.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

**Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.